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PROGRAMMABLE ALLOCATION OF BANDWIDTH FOR FORWARD

AND RETURN LINKS

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Examiner:

This Amendment and Response to Office Action is submitted in response to the final Office Action dated October 5, 2005, in the above-referenced patent application.

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